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MORTON'S GOLD PENS, the best in use.

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Has established his Headquarters on the

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Where he has a never failing supply of

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FLOUR,

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BEING SOLD at the

VERY LOWEST MARKET PRICE,

FOR CASH.

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SMITH & HINKLEY,

HARDWARE MERCHANTS.

DIAMOND ST., TITUSVILLE, PA.

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publicly of articles in the line of

SHELF HARDWARE, CUTLERY.

CARPENTERS' TOOLS,

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EXTRA TUBING AND CABLE.

ALL KINDS OF

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IRON, NAILS,

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OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS.

STORE TRUCKS,

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We are the sole agents for the celebrated

"MORNING GLORY,"

the best Ease-Burning Stove in market.

All kinds of Jobbing, Tin, Copper and Sheet Iron

work done on short notice.

We intend to keep a supply of everything in our line,

and do business in a satisfactory manner to all our

customers. Our facilities for keeping goods are unexcelled, and our present location very desirable.

SELECTED STOCK OF GROCERIES,

which they will sell as cheap as any house in the city.

Please give me a call.

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KENSINGTON FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY

OF PHILADELPHIA.

Capital, \$300,000.

Buildings, Merchandise, and Furniture taken at

reasonable rates.

WM. WHIG, Agent.

Office on Washington Street, between Pine and

Fairfax Streets, Titusville, Pa., April 26, 1867.

By strict attention to business and the wants of our

customers, we expect a liberal share of patronage.

SMITH & HINKLEY.

Titusville, September 25, 1867.

MORNING HERALD.

THE FIRST DAILY PAPER IN THE OIL REGIONS.

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TITUSVILLE, PA., WEDNESDAY, MAY 22, 1867.

PRICE FIVE CENTS.

HARDWARE.

F. W. AMES,

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Dealer in all kinds of

Heavy and Shelf Hardware,

IRON, STEEL, NAILS, ROPE, BELTING, CA-

ING, TUBING, AND WELL-FIXTURES

BLACKSMITHS.

Will find a full stock of Iron, Horse Shoes, Horse Nails,

Farrier's Knives, Scissors, Hoses, &c.

COOPERS.

Can always find the best Tools in the market. Also,

a stock of Hoop Iron and Rivets.

Our stock of HEATING and COOKING STOVES

is the largest in the Oil Regions, and is of great

variety of patterns, including the

FRIDAY, JUNE 21, 1867.

between the hours of one and seven o'clock P. M., to

nominate candidates for the following offices:

One person for State Senator.

One person for County Auditor.

One person for County Treasurer.

One person for Commissioner.

One person for Auditor.

One person for Sheriff.

One person for Clerk of the Court.

One person for Collector of Internal Revenue.

One person for Sheriff.

CROSERIES, LIQUORS AND DRY GOODS.

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THE MOST EXTENSIVE

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IN WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA.

Groceries, Flour, Provisions, Liquors and Segars
CHEAP FOR CASH.

WE HAVE REDUCED THE PRICES OF ALL KINDS OF

Groceries, Provisions and Canned Fruit.

Green Corn, 4 lb. bushel, per dozen.....	\$3.25
Peaches, 2 lb. cans, per dozen.....	5.50
Peaches, 3 lb. cans, per dozen.....	5.50
Strawberries, 2 lb. cans, per dozen.....	5.25
Pineapple, 2 lb. cans, per dozen.....	5.75
Tomatoes, 2 lb. cans, per dozen.....	2.40
Damsons, 2 lb. cans, per dozen.....	4.30

WE ARE SELLING

LIQUORS

AT PRICES WHICH FOR QUALITY DEFY COMPETITION.

Dark Sherry.....	W. 25
Old 40.....	40
Old Cognac.....	40
Blackberry.....	2.70
Cherry.....	2.70

GIN.....	1.70
Holmes (Imported).....	\$4.00 to \$5.00
Old Fort.....	2.70 to 3.00
Pure Juice, very fine.....	5.50
Sherry, Dull Gordon, do.....	5.50
Maderia.....	2.80 to 3.00

WINE.....	1.70
Scotch Ale (genuine).....	1.70
Eagle Ale.....	1.70

RUM.....	1.70 to 5.00
Old Croix.....	1.70 to 5.00
Jamaica.....	1.70 to 5.00
New England.....	2.00

WHISKIES.....	1.70
Fair Wheats.....	1.70
Old Rye.....	1.70
Bever's year old Wheats, do.....	1.70
Old Bourbon, do.....	2.25
Old Rye.....	5.50

ALE.....	1.70
Scotch Ale (genuine).....	1.70
Eagle Ale.....	1.70

SHERRY.....	1.70
Dull Gordon, do.....	5.50
Maderia.....	2.80 to 3.00

PORT.....	2.50 to 3.00
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Titusville, Wednesday, May 22, 1867.

READING MATTER ON EVERY PAGE.

THE MAIL.—Henceforth the mails will arrive and depart from the Titusville Post Office at the following hours:

	MAILS CLOSE	MAILS ARRIVE
For New York and East.	8:00 P. M.	8:00 P. M.
Philadelphia, Washington, and over E.	8:00 P. M.	8:00 P. M.
E. & W. East.	8:00 P. M.	8:00 P. M.
Philadelphia and West.	11:00 A. M.	11:00 A. M.
Baltimore, Boston, and over A. & W.	11:00 A. M.	11:00 A. M.
W. & W. West.	8:00 P. M.	8:00 P. M.
Pittsburgh, and down the Ohio.	11:00 A. M.	11:00 A. M.
Plainsville, L. I., West.	11:00 A. M.	11:00 A. M.
Tony, &c.	11:00 A. M.	11:00 A. M.

MAILS close at 1 P. M.

Varieties.

The Fruit Crop in all parts of Ohio has never been so prosperous as at this time.

A disastrous fire occurred on Monday morning at Salamanca.

An exhibition of a newly invented apparatus called the Fire Extinguisher, will be given on the McCray House lot on Thursday.

The Convention of the Diocese of Pittsburgh (Episcopal) met in Erie yesterday.

The May snow storm in Potter county produced four to six inches on the ground.

Counterfeit ten dollar bills on the Third National Bank of Philadelphia were issued in New York on Saturday. They are well executed.

The G. A. R. last night held their regular weekly meeting at Temple Hall, this Wednesday evening.

1000 barrels of oil were sold on Pioneer Run yesterday by the Foster Farn Oil Company at 5 cents per gallon at the wells.

Our Young Folks for June, published by Ticknor & Fields, is received. The contents are of the usual variety and interest.

Dr. N. L. Willard advertises a reduction of prices on dental work for the next sixty days.

A regular meeting of the Common Council will be held this evening. It is understood that a nominally signed remonstrance will be presented to the Board in relation to the ten percent tax levied for city purposes.

The students of Allegheny College have planted over 1000 trees, and have redecorated the swampy ground above the road, converting it into a beautiful lake, with a miniature cascade at its outlet.

George Chase, the murderer of Mrs McDonald, in Brooklyn, Jefferson county, and the suspected murderer of John Doyle of this city, has just been convicted of the former crime, and will receive the death penalty. Chase says, however, that he will not swing alone, an intimation that promises to unravel the Doyle mystery.

The shipments of petroleum over the Oil Creek railroad for the week ending May 21st, and over the Farmers' Railroad, from Pittsbrugh Centre for the week ending May 20th, reach 19,603 barrels. Of this amount over 1000 barrels were refined.

A recent decision of the Supreme Court recognizes the right and power of conductors on railroad cars forcibly to eject riotous passengers therefrom.

The organization of lodges of Good Templars was never so active before in the State of Pennsylvania, as it is at present. Agents of the order are traveling in every portion of the State, establishing lodges.

On the 16th inst. ninety messages were transmitted over the Atlantic Cable, costing over two thousand five hundred pounds sterling. The cable laid in 1865, was slightly injured by lightning at Mr. Wetmore's Content, but the damage will soon be repaired.

The statement that a bill was passed by the Pennsylvania Legislature authorizing the recording of soldiers' discharges, is inaccurate, as it only passed one branch.

The Clinton Republican County Convention has selected Thos. S. Wilson, of Clinton, and G. W. Andrews, of Brookville, as Representative and Senatorial delegates to the State Convention, instructed for Hon. J. G. Gordon for Supreme Judge.

We learn by a private telegram from Pittsburgh that Haun will win the race which took place yesterday. A large amount of money was staked on the result. It will bring an end, but won, notwithstanding the disadvantages. We are without further particulars.

Hon. Galusha A. Grow, ex-Speaker of the House of Representatives, has accepted an invitation to deliver a Fourth of July Oration in Titusville, provided the arrangements be completed for a public celebration.

We are indebted to the Deputy Secretary of the Commonwealth, Hon. J. B. Gurn, for a copy of the General Laws passed at the last session of the Legislature.

ASSESSMENTS.

Considerable feeling is manifested by property-holders in regard to the glaring inequality of assessments. In some instances, we are informed, the estimate of property is supremely insignificant as compared with its actual valuation, while in other cases it is higher than last year. There seems to have been no uniformity observed by the assessors, and property holds very justify complaint of it. We do not believe that any intentional partiality has been shown by the assessors, but as a matter of justice to the parties directly interested, the Board should review their work in common, rectify their mistakes, and whether they decide to raise or lower their standard of valuation, should at least equalize the assessments. As regards the subject of taxation, the per centage should be applied uniformly by the fixed valuation. While a levy of ten per cent. would seem exorbitant upon last year's valuation, it would in fact be no more than five per cent. upon the proportion which we have understood was to have been adopted as the present basis.

NEW COUNTERFEITS.—Among the recent counterfeits are noticed 100s on the First National Bank of Boston; 100s on the Ohio National Bank of Cincinnati; 100s on the Central National Bank of New York City, and 100s on the National Bank of Bristol, R. I. Counterfeits 50s on compound interest notes of the issue of July, 1861, are also reported in circulation.

The congressional Committee sent out to investigate the Indian affairs is now in Southern Kansas. Letters received from some of the members indicate that they are coming to the conclusion that the Government had better bring all the tribes together on liberal reservations where they can be cared for at a mere fraction of the present expense.

FACTION.—The Mississippi Clarion says of the recent present to Semmes, from the Baptist ladies of Memphis, that "Admiral Semmes, of the Memphis Bulletin, is the recipient of a compliment at the hands of the ladies of Memphis which ought to make him feel prouder than when he trod the floors of the Alabama, and with her thunderbolts vindicated the prowess of the Confederate navy, and made her name a terror in the seas of Northern commerce."

OUR FRANKLIN LETTER.

Court Matters—Interesting Suite—Local Affairs—The Assembly Contest.

FRANKLIN, May 20, 1867. That fruitful topic of conversation, the weather, has behaved so deceptively of late, that I shall pass it in disgust, and only exclaim, al hoi! No doubt the early vegetables which came peeping up in their innocent green, have already smothered it to their heart's content.

When I said in my last letter that we were to have two weeks of Court, I was in error. Jury trials will commence on June 3d. The Court was in session last week, from Tuesday until Friday, for hearing motions and arguments. A large amount of business was disposed of.

Judge Trunkley is essentially a working man; long hours and busy ones, are his rule and practice.

Through his assiduous energy the immense mass of business which has accumulated upon the dockets of our Courts is fast disappearing. He is a patient listener, but not disposed to give latitude to irrelevant argument; clear headed, and prompt in his decisions, and a decided enemy to "circumlocution office" practice.

The subject of mechanics has with reference to claims for well boring, was before the Court.

The supplement to the mechanics' law of 1850, known as the "Luccheso and Schuykill act," was on the 11th of April, 1855, extended to the counties of Erie, Crawford, Warren and Venango; and under the law so extended, a great number of claims have been filed in our Court for the various kinds of material furnished, and work and labor performed, in and about well boring. A number of these were for labor in boring. The Court decided that such claims were not within the act, and were therefore stricken from the record, so that, the workman who bears a well must not depend upon having a hen for his pay, upon the leasehold and fixtures, but must look personally to the party who employs him.

Another matter of general interest before the court was the petition of the segnator of the "Clayton Land and Improvement Company," for authority to sell two thousand shares of the Franklin and Warren Railroad, owned by the company, to the order of a large number of persons.

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The Perry Street Gully and Home Reflections Concerning It.

Editor's Morning Herald.

I noticed some time since a decision of the City Attorney in reference to the Mill-race bridge funds public through your column:—"Howe retains a right to enhance the value of their own property to the injury of that of the public?" And decides that they have not.

The Attorney's arguments are true it follows that the public can have no lawful right, despite the property of a private citizen, even to enhance the value of public property.

Now, I beg leave to call attention to that space (I know not what use to call it) situated between Spring street and the Mill-race, called (I suppose) by the Common Council, Perry street.

It is not a street, because absolutely impassable. Nor is it even a sewer, because it remains uncovered, a dangerous gutter (twelve feet deep) into which any unlucky traveler who happened to pass may fall. It may be called, in one sense, a drain, with a few modifications of that useful institution, one great objection to it being, that the water is in danger of running in a direction opposite to that intended. What it was made for I am at a loss to determine, unless to disgust strangers with a practical example of the stupidity and ignorance of some of our officers. But aside from the unfavorable opinion with which strangers are really impressed by this pitiful creation, it is a dangerous gutter (twelve feet deep) into which any unlucky traveler who happened to pass may fall. It may be called, in one sense, a drain, with a few modifications of that useful institution, one great objection to it being, that the water is in danger of running in a direction opposite to that intended. 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